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FOR 1889.

Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I, the undersigned, have for sale all the stock of J. A. Ziegler in his furniture store, in Mrs. Fairchild's building, on the southwest corner South Sierra and Commercial streets in Reno, Nevada, together with the books and accounts of said Ziegler, and all debts due to him. The stock must be paid to me within 30 days from the date of this notice, or the same will be sold at public sale, on the 15th day of February, 1889.

MEMPHIS' GOVERNMENT.

How the Metropolis of Tennessee Came to Be a Municipality.

Charles Dudley Warner, writing in Harper's Magazine about Memphis and her principal troubles, explains: Under these circumstances, the city resorted to a novel expedient. It surrendered its charter to the State, and ceased to exist as a municipality. The leaders of this movement gave two reasons for it—the wish not to repudiate the city debt, but to gain breathing-time, and that municipal government in this country is a failure. The Legislature evicted the former Memphis into the taxing district of Shelby County, and provided a government for it. This government consists of a legislative council of eight members, made up of the Board of Fire and Police Commissioners, consisting of three, and the Board of Public Works, consisting of five. These are all elected by popular vote to serve a term of four years, but the elections are held every two years, so that the council always contains members who have had experience. The Board of Fire and Police Commissioners elects a president, who is the executive officer of the taxing district, and has the power and duties of a mayor; he has a salary of two thousand dollars, inclusive of his fees as police magistrate, and the other members of his board have salaries of five hundred dollars. The members of the Board of Public Works serve without compensation. No man can be eligible to either board who has not been a resident of the district for five years. In addition, there is a Board of Health, appointed by the council. This government has the ordinary powers of a city government, defined carefully in the act, but it cannot run the city in debt, and it can not appropriate the taxes collected except for the specific purposes named by the State Legislature, which specifies that appropriations are voted annually by the Legislature on the recommendation of the council. Thus the government of the city is committed to eight men, and the execution of its laws to one man, the president of the taxing district, who has extraordinary power. The final success of this scheme will be watched with a great deal of interest by other cities. On the surface it can be seen that it depends upon securing a non-partisan council, and an honest, conscientious president of the taxing district—that is to say, upon the choice by popular vote of the best citizens to rule the city. Up to this time, with only slight hitches, it has worked exceedingly well, as will appear in a consideration of the condition of the city. The slight hitch mentioned was that the president was accused of using temporarily the sum appropriated for one city purpose for another.

The Supreme Court of the United States decided that Memphis had not evaded its obligations by a change of name and form of government. The result was a settlement with the creditors at fifty cents on the dollar; and then the city gathered itself together for a courageous effort and a new era of prosperity.

AN ARRANT HUMBUG.

The Idea That Age Lends Great Value to Wines Without Foundation.

Now, what are the real facts about old wines? asks the Mirror. After fermentation, which is a process of decay, wine will deteriorate unless preventive measures are taken, such as keeping the wine in a cool or even temperature, the addition of alcohol, boiling (the vinum cottum of the Romans) and the use of modern Italian, and the complete exclusion of the ordinary atmosphere by good corks, by sealing-wax or by oil. The most common method for preserving wine in modern times is by adding alcohol and by corking and sealing. The alcohol in wines prepared for England is often in such proportions that the wine ceases to be any thing like the juice of the grape, and too often is as strong as a glass of brandy and water. But with all these precautions there is a time when even the best of wines lose their character.

When I first went to reside in Portugal a present was made me of a few bottles of port wine, of the famous vintage of 1830. Port wine, having naturally more sugar, has consequently more alcohol, and thus more of resistance to decay and deterioration. This port, when I drank it, was in its fiftieth year, and it had become the color of sauterne, and was more like a liqueur, and whiter than the port of the vintage of 1847. About the same time I also tasted some port wine that was nearly seventy years old. It was nearly white, and seemed to have no great wine character. In 1871 Mr. Rabello, the Brazilian Consul at Oporto, made me a present of several bottles of port wine of the vintage of 1793. Mr. Rabello had heard of the breaking up of an old Portuguese family where, from father to son, a certain number of bottles of famous vintage had been handed down. I sent several of these aged wines to the late William Cullen Bryant, remarking that the bottle of 1793 was, according to the encyclopedia, of his own age; but the poet, in acknowledging the receipt of the wine, stated that it was his senior, and that he should look up to it with reverence.

When I came to open my bottle of 1793, I found it (which once had the dark red of port) about the color of water, and the most insipid stuff. Up to the beginning of this century it was not the custom in any part of Europe to put a lot of fiery alcohol into any kind of wine, and when they did add spirit to port wine it was a little of that which had been distilled from port. This 1793 wine had probably been thus treated, but with all the sealing wax, and a once good cork, the beverage was as unwholesome and tasteless as if it had been water dipped up from a pond and bottled. Therefore I doubt if the Bavarian wines so sedulously advertised in England as those of 1544, 1640 and 1731 have any virtue in them, even if they be genuine wines of those dates. They are really insipid stuff not worth a penny a gallon.

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The moral nature—live and its passive side, and cannot be fully developed unless both are nourished. Glorious labor for truth, for right, for duty, for the good of others, should be united with that tranquil frame of mind which least confidently on established principles and then strengthen the whole nature for further action.

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BECAUSE It is publishing the life of Abraham Lincoln, by his private secretaries. Of this it has been said, "The young man who is not reading it robs himself of that which he will hunger for." The coming year presents the most important part of this great history, which may begin at any time.

BECAUSE It is printing those remarkable articles on "Siberia and the Exile System," by George Kenman, which are attracting universal attention and are being reprinted in hundreds of foreign newspapers, but are not allowed to enter Russia. The "Chicago Tribune" says that "no other magazine articles printed in the English language just now touch upon a subject which so vitally interests all thoughtful people in Europe and America and Asia." They are "as judicious as the opinion of a Supreme Court tribunal—as thrilling as the most sensational drama."

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LEGAL.

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5th day of February, 1889, will be delinquent and advertised for sale at public auction, and unless payment is made before, will be sold by the Secretary, at the office of the company, on the 5th day of March 1889, at 2 o'clock, of that day, to pay the delinquent assessment and the expenses of sale. By order of the Board of Trustees. JOHN DIXON, Secretary.

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Thursday, January 24, 1889

Subscribers who do not receive the GAZETTE promptly will confer a favor by letting this office know at the earliest possible moment. All papers are carefully done up in wrappers, plainly marked, and mailed regularly.

THE meeting called for Saturday afternoon at the Court-house, should be attended by every taxpayer in the county, for in union there is strength, and there can be no doubt but what something must be done to settle the water question. It has been suggested that the several ditch companies incorporate and employ two water masters, whose duty it shall be to see that each ditch gets its quota of water. Unless something of the kind is done the unsettled condition of affairs will lead to endless litigation and there will be money enough spent to eat up half the ditches in this county. The water question is of vital importance to us, for without it our ranches are worthless, and the GAZETTE hopes there will be a general turn out of taxpayers to discuss the question. There can be committees appointed to investigate and report at a subsequent meeting what, in their judgment, is necessary to be done. We have had two or three exceedingly dry years, and it bids fair to be another, so it is none too soon to make a move.

THE Truckee Republican says "the insurance trust is about to throw a sack of \$50,000 or so into the California Legislature, and this means, of course, another raise of insurance rates to make the amount good. In this way the people pay for bribing their own representatives. This is an indignity hard to bear." It is hardly possible the above named trust will have the presumption to attempt the use of their ill-gotten coin on the Nevada Legislature.

It is reported from Berlin that in the Colonial debate in the Reichstag, Bismarck will especially refer to the cordial and friendly relations between Germany and Great Britain. Is that intended to put England in good humor so that she will leave Germany alone to settle the Samoan difficulty with the United States? It is said that in London the relations between this country and Germany are considered critical.

It is now reported that the Democratic Congressmen propose to demonstrate that they are the champions of the broadest possible policy regarding the admission of Dakota. If they had undertaken that demonstration before the election of a Republican House assured Dakota's rights, they might have got some credit for common sense. Now it is too late.

The Truckee Republican is opposed to the appropriation by the State, of a large amount of money for the purpose of advertising the fruit-growing and canning industries of California, and thinks the interests to be benefited should stand the expense.

THE Carson Tribune says pools are selling on the coming braining match between Elliot and Brannan. Wonder if any pools were sold on the recent Coronado-Pixley contest?

SUPERINTENDENT BOYLE of the Alta thinks the prospects of that mine are flattering. A prospective stock deal, perhaps.

THE Governor of Ohio in his message, recommends an election law making the bribe-giver the chief offender.

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEVITIES.

Bar silver, 92 1/2.
Congressman Burns, of Missouri, who was yesterday stricken with paralysis, died last night at 12:46. His willow is said to be an invalid. Deceased left property valued at from \$1,000,000 to \$2,000,000.

Short in His Accounts.
CATLETTSBURG, Ky., Jan. 24.—Sheriff Kibbee of Boyd county, Kentucky, made an assignment late last night, and left home before daylight this morning. He is said to be short in his accounts \$14,000.

LOOKS LIKE WAR.

Bismarck's Organ on the Samoan Question.

CONGRESSIONAL PROCEEDINGS.

United States Troops Drive Out the "Boomers."

AFAIRS ON THE ISTHMUS.

William O'Brien's Trial Nearly Causes a Riot.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DISPATCHES TO THE GAZETTE.]

The Irish Still Defiant

DUBLIN, Jan. 24.—The trial of Wm. O'Brien on the charge of conspiracy, began to-day, at Carrick. The Government had issued a proclamation, forbidding any demonstration welcoming O'Brien, but despite this action, 20,000 persons gathered around the court house. Six hundred police charged upon the crowd, using their batons freely, but were unable to disperse the gathering. The excitement was fearful, and as O'Brien entered the court house he was greeted with vociferous cheers.

While O'Brien was striving to pass through the crowd to enter the court house, he was seized by a Police Inspector and dragged thirty yards. The people, maddened by this, pressed forward to rescue him, but the police, however, repulsed the crowd. Timothy Healy, who stepped forward to aid O'Brien, was met by a bayonet aimed at his breast, and a number of reporters were maltreated. O'Brien complained to the judge that the police were attempting to incite a bloody riot.

Railroad Presidents Meeting.

CHICAGO, Jan. 21.—A meeting of the western railroad presidents to consider the recent agreement made in New York for the purpose of putting a stop to rate cutting and other disturbing practices by secondary executive officers, was called to order this morning at 12:30, with closed doors. President Marvin Hughett of the North Western, occupied the chair, in the absence of Charles Francis Adams of Boston, the temporary chairman of the association, who has been unable to reach the city, though it was at his call that the meeting was convened. President Perkins of the Burlington road, was also absent, and the Wisconsin Central was without a representative, as neither of these roads has yet given its adhesion to the agreement. The meeting was at the outset, handicapped by the fact that however much in accord they might be, their deliberations could not be conclusive. At 1:15 a recess was taken until 2:30 this afternoon. Seventeen of the twenty roads of the conference were represented. The Chicago & Burlington and the Wisconsin and Illinois Central were not represented. Nothing but an informal discussion was had at the morning session.

The Samoan Matter.

BERLIN, Jan. 24.—The North German Gazette, Bismarck's organ, denies the existence of any treaty precluding any European power from acquiring an ascendancy in Samoa. It also denies that England and the United States are agreed that the proceedings of the German agent in Samoa are contrary to the stipulations of the treaties, or are opposed to diplomatic etiquette, and that these powers have officially notified the German Government accordingly. The Gazette further says, provide that Samoa shall concede to each treaty power, equal rights with either of the others, but no treaty regarding the neutrality or independence of Samoa exists between Germany and the United States.

No Americans Injured.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24.—United States Consul Willard, at Guaymas, Mexico, has sent a dispatch to the State Department denying the report that a number of American citizens had been killed by the Indians near Oriz. He said the Indians attacked a small force of Mexican soldiers and killed several, but no foreigners were injured.

West Virginia Membership.

CHARLESTON, W. Va., Jan. 24.—The Senate and House met in joint assembly at noon and balloted for United States Senator with the following result: Gov. 31, Penna 17, W. L. Wilson 10—balance scattering. There were 87 votes cast; necessary to a choice, 44.

A Strong Corporation.

NEW YORK, Jan. 24.—The Pullman Palace Car Company has acquired control of all prior car companies doing business in this country, with the exception of Wagner, whose operations are confined to the Vanderbilt lines.

A German Opinion.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24.—Despatches have been received at the State Department from the American Minister at Berlin, in regard to the Samoan question. Their contents are withheld from publicity, except some extracts from the German newspapers, giving accounts of, and commenting on, the fight in which so many Germans lost their lives. The previous lapsed tone of the press, in regard to Samoan affairs, was quickened to a fever heat by the *Has Kleine Journal* of Berlin, which says: "According to the official reports from Apia, of the 28th of December, the landing of a corps of the Olga, which was sent to accompany the German Consul to the scene of war of the natives, in consequence of the destroying of German property and the bodily insults to the men of the Marine, while on leave, the Consul going there for the purpose of inspecting the armament. On the way to the Baile plantation landing, the corps of the Olga was by surprise, attacked by the Insurrectionists, under the leadership of an American named Klein. A landing being thereupon made by the cruiser, Adler and the Gunboat, Eber, the natives were driven back and several of their villages situated on the coast, destroyed. Lieutenant Siegar and fifteen men are dead and Lieutenants Sprenger and Burchardt, as well as thirty-six men were wounded. The victory was but a costly one, and not one to be rejoiced over. German meddling in the quarrels of Kings Mataapa, Malietoa and Tanamases has been hailed with rejoicing from several quarters, for the reason that the final result of the business was expected to be the occupation of Samoa by the German Empire. England and the United States, however, will not agree to such a consummation, and now we have even lost a number of men in a battle with the despised islanders; a new leaf in the history of our colonial policy; a laurel leaf, but what sort of a one?"

Congressional Proceedings.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24.—The House Committee on Foreign Affairs to-day, with only one dissenting vote, that of Russell of Massachusetts, who has opposed the resolution from the first, ordered a favorable report to be made upon the Senate resolution relative to European participation in the construction of the Panama canal. There was little discussion, the matter having been fully gone into at two preceding sessions. The matter is not privileged for consideration, under the rules of the House, but an effort will be made to have it so. A sub-committee, consisting of Morrow, McCreary and Russell, was also appointed to consider Samoan affairs, which will come before the committee in shape of correspondence from the State Department, and in the resolutions introduced at the last session, declaring in favor of interference by our government to check German aggressions at the Samoan islands.

After the Adoption of Suitable Resolutions.

After the adoption of suitable resolutions on the death of Burns of Missouri, the House and Senate both adjourned as a mark of respect.

SENATE.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24.—The Pacific Railroad Commission will meet on Monday next to consider Mitchell's bill, providing for the ascertainment and funding of the debts of the Central and Union Pacific railroads. In the meantime Chairman Frye will probably call up the bill pending in the Senate, as to a special order, dealing only with the Union Pacific and Central branch, and make a speech upon it.

Committee Meetings.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24.—The House Committee on Territories meet to-morrow to determine whether or not action will be taken during this session of Congress, on the bill for the admission of Utah. The Senate Committee on Territories has also called a meeting for to-morrow, for the purpose of considering the "Quinnbill" recently passed by the House, for the admission of South Dakota, and the Organization of the Territory of North Dakota. This Committee will also hear the statements of people from Dakota and Washington Territory, in regard to the amendments they desire added to the bill.

Nine States Yet to be Heard From.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24.—The electoral messengers from nine States have not yet arrived. The law requires that the messengers shall deliver the result of the voting of their respective States not later than the last Monday in February. This will be next Monday. The States mentioned are, California, Colorado, Florida, Oregon, Kentucky, Maine, Nebraska, Nevada and Texas.

A Deadlock Broken.

PRESBURY, A. T., Jan. 24.—The deadlock in the House was broken to-day by Jordan of Maricopa, leaving the Democratic caucus and appearing in the House, thus forming a quorum and allowing the Republicans to effect an organization. J. F. Smith of Phoenix, was elected Speaker. The Governor's message favors Statehood for this Territory.

French Politics.

PARIS, Jan. 24.—The *La France* says the ordinary garrisons in and about Paris are being replaced by troops known to be devoted to the Republic. It is asserted that the police are preparing to bring about an armistice, which will afford a pretext for the arrest of Boulanger and his friends.

Named by the Senate.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24.—The Senate Committee on Appropriations has concluded to work on the Consular, Diplomatic, Military Academy and Pension bills. The Consular bill as it came from the House, appropriated \$1,427,000, and the Senate Committee increased the total to \$2,050,000.

Claims to Have New Evidence.

DUBLIN, Jan. 24.—The *Express* (Conservative) asserts that the London Times has secured fresh important documents from the United States in support of its charges against the Parnells.

"Boomers" Driven Out.

GAINESVILLE, Texas, Jan. 24.—A company of United States troops arrived at Purcell, Indian Territory, yesterday from Fort Reno, crossed the Canadian river and proceeded to put the "boomers" out of the Oklahoma country. Over six hundred families were driven out, and they are now camped around Purcell. Some of the people resisted and had to be tied to wagons, and were pulled out in this way.

A Defiant Article.

LONDON, Jan. 24.—An article in the North-German *Gazette*, relative to the treaties regarding Samoa has caused a commotion in official circles here. By some, it is regarded as a deliberate defiance to the Washington Government.

All Quiet on the Isthmus.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24.—The Secretary of State received a cable dispatch from the Consul at Colon, saying that affairs on the Isthmus are quiet.

Two Resignations.

BERLIN, Jan. 24 General Von Schellendor, the Prussian Minister of War, and Von Schellendor, Imperial Minister of Justice, have resigned.

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SIX GOOD DRAFT HORSES NOT OVER eight years old. Must weigh at least sixteen hundred pounds. Apply to J. F. AITKEN.

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CAME TO MY PLACE LAST SUMMER, one sorrel colt, year old, without brands or mark of any kind. The owner is hereby notified to take him away and pay charges. J. F. AITKEN.

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NICE FURNISHED ROOMS FOR housekeeping for small family. Inquire of J. W. KNOX.

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BENSON OF THE HURKA STABLE has eight horses, which he will sell for cash or on time.

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DESIRES TO ENQUIRE THE PUBLIC that she has removed to the store formerly occupied by H. A. Wilson. She has on hand a fine stock of fancy notions which she can sell at a reduced price. H. A. WILSON.

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A TWO-STORY HOUSE ON PLAZA street. Inquire of F. M. PAYNE.

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WEATHER OBSERVATIONS.

Agricultural Experiment Station, for January 23, 1889.

	7 A. M.	9 P. M.
Barometer	30.73	30.71
Temperature	44.1	46.9
Relative humidity	79.1	85.8

	7 A. M.	9 P. M.
Mean barometer (inches)	30.73	30.71
Mean temperature	44.1	46.9
Mean relative humidity (per cent.)	79.1	85.8
Maximum temperature	45.0	48.0
Minimum temperature	33.0	35.0
Range of temperature	12.0	13.0
State of weather	clear	clear
Prevailing winds	light	light
Total rainfall (inches)	0.0	0.0

Agricultural Experiment Station, for January 22, 1889.

	7 A. M.	9 P. M.
Barometer	30.60	30.62
Temperature	38.8	38.9
Relative humidity	76.1	82.1

	7 A. M.	9 P. M.
Mean barometer (inches)	30.60	30.62
Mean temperature	38.8	38.9
Mean relative humidity (per cent.)	76.1	82.1
Maximum temperature	39.0	40.0
Minimum temperature	38.0	39.0
Range of temperature	1.0	1.0
State of weather	clear	clear
Prevailing winds	light	light
Total rainfall (inches)	0.0	0.0

Condition of the weather at the points named at 7 o'clock this morning:
Ogden - Clear, calm; 7 degrees above zero.
Battle Mountain - Clear, calm 5 degrees below zero.
Winnemucca - Cloudy, calm; 5 degrees below zero.
Reno - Clear, calm, 20 degrees above zero. At 12 M. 34.5.

United States Signal Service predictions for the twenty-four hours beginning at 12 M. to-day: Slightly warmer, fair weather.
W. McN. MILLER, Observer.

Thursday, January 24, 1889

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

DEPOT HOTEL - A Leavitt and fifteen members of his comedy company; D. H. Haskell, E. F. Murphy, C. Jacobs, San Francisco; J. W. Greenlaw and wife, Sacramento; Miss A. Hall, Eureka, Nev.; F. Lewis, New York; E. W. Holstrom, O. W. Holstrom, Utah; Mrs. Mary, J. H. White, Nevada; W. Whited, Wadsworth; J. M. Campbell, Virginia; J. B. Gallagher, Mason Valley; D. C. Simpson, Wellington; J. McQuitty, Carson; N. Nelson, Loveland; W. M. Gifford, L. P. Wheeler, Oakland.
PALACE HOTEL - W. T. Hales, Rye Patch; Zanetto Bros., Rye Patch; Eleven members of the Leavitt Company; Irvine Lewis, Wells, Nev.; G. W. Meacham, Humboldt; G. W. O'Neill, London, Eng.; D. J. Biggs, G. T. Hales, Boca; John Daniels, Virginia City; Ed Roberts, J. S. Dedman, Long Valley; B. F. Fowler, Cincinnati, Ohio; J. A. Crumplin, Camp 20.

JOTTINGS.

C. J. Brooks is just in receipt of a nice lot of the finest Orville oranges ever brought to Reno.
George Becker carries in addition to his Pacific and Fredericksburg beer, a complete assortment of liquors, cigars and wines.
One of J. J. Becker's hot lunches and a schooner of his Boca or Sacramento beer is all the midday lunch a man needs.
All the leading magazines, all the leading coast papers and all the most popular poetic works at C. A. Thurston's News Depot.
Patrons of the Riverside Hotel greatly enjoy Chamberlain's large, light and nicely warmed reading room, where all the daily papers are to be found.

Entitled to the Best.

All are entitled to the best their money will buy, so every family should have, at once, a bottle of the best family remedy, Syrup of Pile, to cleanse the system when constipated or bilious. For sale in 50c and \$1 bottles by all leading druggists.

The Georgia Minstrels.

The Aberdeen, Dak., Republican says:
The Georgia Minstrels drew a crowded house last night, and the unanimous verdict of all those present was that it is the best minstrel show that has ever visited the city. Billy Kerands and George Jackson, the two best colored comedians in the business, kept the audience in an uproar whenever they appeared. They are a whole entertainment in themselves. The singing by the Crescent City Quartette was good and elicited frequent applause. The entertainment throughout was fully up to the standard of this famous company of colored artists.
The box sheet is now open.

California, the Land of Discovery.

Why will you lay awake all night, coughing, when that most effective and agreeable California remedy, Santa Able, will give you immediate relief? Santa Able is the only guaranteed cure for Consumption, Asthma and all Bronchial Complaints. Sold only in large bottles, at \$1.00. Three for \$2.50. O'Brien & Shoenaker will be pleased to supply you, and guarantee relief when used as directed. California Cal-R-Cure never fails to relieve Croup or Cold in the throat. Six months treatment, \$1.00. By mail, \$1.10.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The best salve in the world for cuts, bruises, sore, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, chapped hands, chilblains, corns and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by all druggists and by mail.

A PARTIAL SUCCESS.

Californians Not Disposed to Give Up Any Territory.

SACRAMENTO, January 22, 1889.
EDITOR GAZETTE: California's fair capital has been graced since yesterday morning with the presence of a bevy of Nevada statesmen, here on a mission in the interest of the State they represent in its Legislature.

With the risk that it might seem superfluous to mention the object of the visit of these gentlemen to Sacramento, I will state that they constitute a committee of conference with a joint committee of the California Legislature to discuss

TWO PROBLEMS.

At issue between the two States. The first of these which I will consider is the "sawdust question." It is not necessary to mention that every intelligent man in the State of Nevada thoroughly understands this case, but it may be worthy of mention that there are many people in the State of California—intelligent people I mean—who have no more conception of its importance than a jackrabbit has of the uses of the Lick telescope. There are people in and out of the California Legislature who, when they heard of the sawdust question being agitated, thought it was the old-time Eastern sawdust game transplanted to Nevada. This is serious, however, your delegation accomplished all their constituents asked for and wanted in that direction, by arriving at a mutual agreement that the two States will so uniformly legislate during the present sessions of their Legislatures as to abate the evils which come from the careless and, I may say, criminal dumping of sawdust into the streams in both States, thus fouling the waters so as to make them unfit for either domestic or manufacturing uses, and destroying the fish, which not only add to the attractiveness of the streams, but constitute a valuable food product. This is really all that your Joint Commission practically accomplished, but in a moral sense they achieved a great deal in impressing upon the attention of the Legislature and the Governor of the State of California the importance of

THE BOUNDARY QUESTION.

Any man who knows the topography and commerce of the border line between California and Nevada can readily appreciate that the equities and the justice of the case are all on the side of Nevada, and, to take the question of the rights of the people living within the abeyance territory on this side of the mountains, common sense and fairness should put them within the confines of your State. However, not to be tedious, I will state that though the case of Nevada was most admirably and logically presented by Mr. Coffin, the chosen spokesman of the delegation, ably seconded by Messrs. Cheney, Poudjale, Foley, Williams, Garrard, and the rest of the delegation, and while Governor Waterman and Private Secretary Boruck listened attentively and the former was evidently impressed with the justice of Nevada's case.

One of the delegation, speaking right out in the meeting, begged the Governor and Mr. Boruck not to allow sentiment and State pride to influence them, and hoped that the Native Sons of the Golden West, who are now so prominent in the California Legislature, would extend their vision over the hill-tops into the deserts of Nevada, which are standing and crying for California's cooling waters. But as a mere matter of prophecy, I wish to say that I think that this California Legislature will not meet Nevada halfway, but will stand by its State pride. However, the seed has been sown and time may fructify it.

A JOLLY TIME.

There will be carpers in Nevada who will say that this conference committee you sent down here was a "junketing committee." If a junket means a picnic, that may be so, but the record when they return will show that they accomplished results. It is true that they had a grand time, but that was more their fortune than their fault. They came here announced, but modestly, and were seized upon and feasted, banqueted and entertained in all the ways of hospitality which the town could afford.

FRED H. HART.

\$7,500.

John Pothoff Gets His Money from the Little Louisiana Lottery.
J. A. Pothoff this morning received \$7,500 by Wells-Fargo's express from the Little Louisiana Lottery Company of San Francisco, Cal., as the capital prize for ticket No. 5882, held by him. This is the third capital prize that has been drawn in this State; twice in Virginia and once here, and once the lucky number was sent back from Virginia with \$5 50 worth of tickets that were not sold. Mr. Pothoff is to be congratulated on his good luck, for \$7,500 is not picked up every day. The ticket was sold by John Beis, who took Pothoff's receipt for the money this morning.

Blow Out the Gas.

A couple of young men, who have evidently seen more tallow candles than gas jets, stopped at the Depot Hotel last night, and this morning when Charley Chapman, the porter, was making his calls he discovered a strong gas odor in the hall, and on examination found the transom of the room occupied by the two country lads, wide open. On entering the room he learned that they had blown out the gas, and when asked why they had opened the transom they said that when they blew out the gas it smelled so bad they "opened the glass." It was a close call for the young fellows, the opening of the transom having saved their lives.

A Mutual Separation.

Frank Culver gives notice in the Elko Independent as follows: Having mutually agreed upon a separation, this is to give notice that I am no longer responsible for any debts contracted by my wife, Mary M. Culver.

NEVADA LEGISLATURE.

The Proceedings of the Seventeenth Day.

SENATE.
Committee on Enrollment reported S. B. 18—Bill to provide for expenses of special election; correctly enrolled.

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING.
S. B. 28, by LaGrave—Relative to public schools; referred to Committee on Education.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Senate joint resolution No. 8, relative to appropriating money for agricultural stations; referred to Committee on Federal Relations.

THIRD READING.

S. B. 22—Relative to the taxation of personal property and proceeds of mines, repealing old act; ordered engrossed.

Adjourned to 2 P. M.

ASSEMBLY.

Assembly met at 11 A. M., Speaker pro tem. Beck in the chair.

Prayer by Rev. Mr. Bready.

Journal read and approved.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By Allen of Churchill—A. B. 38, an act for the maintenance and support of illegitimate children; referred to Judiciary Committee.

GENERAL FILE.

A. B. 30—An act to provide for the formation of agricultural districts and management thereof; passed.

S. B. 14—An act to prevent the pollution of the water of lakes, rivers and streams of the State of Nevada; temporarily laid on the table to await the report of the joint committee which visited the California Legislature on the question at issue.

A. B. 37—An act fixing the salaries of certain officers of Nye county; ordered engrossed.

S. B. 20, out of order—An act to amend an act to regulate proceedings in civil cases in the several counties of the State; referred to Judiciary Committee.

At 11:45 recess taken till 2:30 P. M.

BREVITIES.

Local and General Intelligence.

The sleighing at Truckee is said to be fine.

Much prospecting is said to be going on on the west side of Mount Davidson.

The Carson Tribune says C. M. Fassett, Chief Clerk of the Assembly, a high compliment.

Evans & Kane to-day shipped twelve cars of mutton sheep to W. M. Gifford, Oakland.

Hymers and Sanders are filling their ice-house with ice cut from the Water Company's reservoir.

Eighteen members of the Uniform Rank, of Reno I. O. O. F., went to Virginia City yesterday.

J. N. Wallace is doing a nice business in the family grocery line. His store is a model of neatness.

George Miller, the man who broke his leg at the Palace Hotel, was taken to the County Hospital yesterday.

The Truckee Republican says the ice crop, which is now nearly secured, is the largest ever cut on the Truckee river.

The argument in the Found Treasures mining case, recently tried in Elko, will be commenced on the 4th of February.

That dress-goods display in the south show-window of the Palace Dry Goods Store, is as fine as you will see on Market or Kearney streets.

The Silver State heads an editorial on the recent hasty action of the Legislature on the Constitutional Amendments, "Lightning Legislation."

W. O. H. Martin received this morning a large invoice of goods in the hardware line. Mr. Martin carries everything known to the hardware trade, and it is the season of the year when farmers begin to look around for agricultural implements.

Mr. Martin's is the place to go, for he sells at prices that defy competition, even in the San Francisco market.

PERSONAL.

D. C. Simpson of Wellington, was in Reno last night.

Dr. Thoma and wife returned this morning from California.

Superintendent Whited and son Jesse, were in Reno last night.

A member of the San Francisco butchering firm of E. & H. Moffatt, was in town last evening.

Henry Cutting, the Assembly Clerk, is under the weather, but expects to be all right in a day or two.

D. H. Haskell, the C. P. town-site agent, was in town last evening looking as fresh and vigorous as 20 years ago.

Assemblyman Nelson of Lovelock, came down last evening from Carson, having been called home by the death of his six-months-old daughter.

Meat Market.

Following are the rates for whole carcasses from slaughterers to dealers in San Francisco:

Beef—First quality, 7c; second quality, 6c; third quality, 5c.

Veal—Quotable at 6c for large and 7c for small.

Mutton—Quotable at 7c per pound.

Lamb—Spring, 15c per pound.

Pork—Live hogs, on foot, grain fed, 9c; soft, 8c; dressed hogs 9c to 10c per pound.

Court Proceedings.

The District Court has been engaged for the past two days in the trial of the case of the State vs. P. C. Kym, charged with grand larceny. At 2 o'clock this afternoon the defendant was on the stand and the case will certainly reach the jury to-day.

Judge Bigelow this morning dictated an order to be entered sustaining the demurrer to the complaint, in the case of Haydon vs. G. B. Gordon.

Both Wrists Broken.

A carpenter by the name of Joseph Williams, while at work on the snow-sheds at Camp 13, had both of his wrists broken by a fall of 150 feet. He was taken to the company's hospital at Sacramento.

HOW THEY MADE A MISTAKE.

An Embarrassing Scene in a Spiritualist's Circle.

Some years ago, in the early 70's, when times were flush on the Comstock, when every one dealt in stocks and never knew just when he might turn out a millionaire, when fortunes were made and lost in a single day, there lived in a town not many miles from Virginia, a man well known to all as a lucky speculator. He owned a fine block on Main street, in a part of which he made his home, and realized a good income from his rents alone. His family consisted of a wife and several children, not all his own, for when taking a wife he acted on the principle of the young man in early history, of whom we are told that when his father urged him to marry, to "take a wife," he answered: "Very well, father, but whose wife shall I take?" So H. not only asked whose wife he should take, but took her, though now she was legally his, he having married her after the death of her former husband.

The H's were rank spiritualists, and strange to relate, the shade who took the greatest interest in their fortunes was Dr. J., the defunct husband of Mrs. H. She was a well-developed medium, both writing and speaking, and professed to be controlled almost wholly by his spirit. He, perhaps, was playing for even, indeed the sequel would seem to prove that he was.

All their stock investments were under his directions, they regularly consulting him before buying or selling, and on all other points connected with stock dealing they were regulated by his advice.

Nightly seances were held at their home, to which only the faithful were at first admitted, but as the fame of these meetings and the wonderful things done by the spirits through their medium, Mrs. H. were noised abroad, others besides those who were believers, asked and obtained permission to attend "Hinc illa lacrima." One evening quite a large party went down from Virginia to witness the spiritual doings and, if possible, to communicate with friends who had passed to the other side.

Of the party, was a young woman, a Mrs. S., from the East, a niece of prominent society people in Virginia. Of her history little was known only to her own intimate friends. That she had been married and was now a widow was known by all, but the fact that she had lately been divorced from a shiftless husband, was understood by only a few.

Everything seemed at first to work as by a charm. A circle was formed, all joining hands, an appropriate selection from the Bible was read, and during the singing of a hymn, the spirits, or rather the spirit of Dr. J., took full possession of Mrs. H., causing her to deliver first a long prayer, then some rhymes, more or less of the doggerel type, relating to everybody present, and matters in general.

Soon, however, in answer to a request from *par-pamiliat*, the good doctor obligingly withdrew his influence from the medium, to allow her to put the children to bed, resuming control after they were all settled for the night.

Her *modus operandi* was to pass from one to another of the party, sit down by each, taking his hand, and after a few skillful questions, give a message from some loved one now in the other world. In most instances she was nearly or quite correct, for the parties were well known by her, and she knew to whom to deliver touching words from parent or child, sister or brother. She seemed to shun Mrs. S., however, speaking to all but her, and beginning to show signs of returning consciousness. This did not suit some of the party, and several asked: "Why don't she tell Mrs. S. something?" Presently she grew bolder and seated herself by the stranger. After a few questions and a little hesitation she delivered a most affecting and affectionate message from the departed husband, filled with loving words and wise counsel for the future, especially in regard to their child, whom, in reality, the father had scarcely seen.

The situation was ludicrous in the extreme. All who knew the real state of affairs were almost convulsed by their efforts to restrain their laughter. Mrs. S. herself, hiding her face with her handkerchief, trembled with suppressed merriment—which, no doubt, was mistaken by the uninitiated, for emotion, while her own who sat beside her, being unable to control herself, was at last obliged to break the circle and leave the room.

On the opposite side of the circle was a lady who thought she knew how matters stood, but was not quite sure, and she kept calling to the aunt: "Is he dead? Is he dead? Is he dead?" Human nature could not endure forever, and the laughter so long suppressed broke out all around the circle. The influence left Mrs. H. in anything but an agreeable frame of mind, and the seance broke up in a rather hurried manner.

The story being too good to keep, it soon leaked out, and faith in the spirits went below among all but those who had such unbounded confidence in them and their mediums that nothing could disturb it.

H and wife continued dealing in stocks, always under the advice of their spiritual guide, who must have been a crafty old fellow even after entering the spirit world, for he led them on until they lost all they possessed, money, business, home, and at last, even love for each other. For years they have been living separate lives, he, prospecting among the hills of Nevada, never striking a rich lead, and she, earning a precarious living as a spiritual medium and fortune-teller in the city by the Golden Gate.

MARY S. DODEN.

Indian Menaces.

Judge H. S. Walton, United States Inspector of the Indian Department, is at Carson, engaged in settling certain Shoshone Indians on lands in severalty.

A good digestion waits on appetite and a good appetite is one of the sure signs of perfect health. It is a rare thing to find a person who has an irregular appetite, one who is unable to eat, or who is unable to digest. We advise you by all means to take Dr. Henry's Digestive Food. It is a new way of food. Sold by William Fininger.

A Merited Compliment.

The Carson Tribune says it has long been an acknowledged fact that H. H. Howe, the principal of Ormsby county's public schools, is the most capable and thorough teacher in Nevada, and now comes the assertion from Professor Brown of the State University, that the scholars who entered from Carson are far ahead, in thoroughness of those from any other part of the State. Mr. Howe may well be proud of his success and the recognition he has received.

Unreservedly Laughed at.

The untidiness and carelessness of nervousness. Yet this is a very real and serious affliction, the harassing symptoms of which are rendered all the more poignant by ridicule. The stomach is usually responsible for these symptoms—its weakness and disorder find a reflex in the brain, which is the headquarters of the nervous system. As a nerve tonic and tranquillizer, we believe that no one can be so quick and effective as Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. In recurring nervous digestion it strikes the key note of recovery of strength and quietude by the nerves. Headache, tremors in quiet sleep, abnormal sensitiveness to unexpected noises—all these modify and ultimately disappear as the system gains strength from the great tonic. Dyspepsia, biliousness, rheumatism, constipation and kidney complaints are subdued by the Bitters.

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MARRIED.

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